

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

F & L Ref. No.: 40399/299

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Group Art Unit: 1646

Serial No. 08/455,975

Examiner: Saoud

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For: METHODS OF TREATING A CONDITION BY STIMULATION OR
INHIBITION OF EPITHELIAL CELL GROWTH USING KERATINOCYTE
GROWTH FACTOR



**AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION
UNDER 37 CFR 1.111**

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This responds to the Office Action of July 19, 1999. A Petition for Extension of Time with the requisite fee is attached. Applicants do not believe that any further fees are owed. If this is not the case, applicants authorize the Commissioner to charge the undersigned's account No. 19-0741.

Please amend the application, as follows:

PLEASE SUBSTITUTE THE ATTACHED SPECIFICATION, WHICH INCORPORATES THE AMENDMENTS SET FORTH BELOW, FOR THE ORIGINAL SPECIFICATION.

IN THE ORIGINAL SPECIFICATION:

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